ABSTRACT OF PENSION FILE S-16609 OF THOMAS ABRUCKLE - ON FILE IN THE BUREAU OF PENSIONS, DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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On 5 April, 1833 at the April Term of Court of Washington County, State of Indiana, Thomas Arbuckle appeared and applied for a pension under the Act of 7 June, 1832. At that time he stated that he was 86 years of age, could submit no documentary proof of his service, nor could he furnish the names of any persons who could testify as to the service claimed.

He stated that he entered service at Botetourt County in the State of Virginia as a Lieutenant in the company of militia commanded by Captain Given, that the company rendezvoused at Fincastle and marched in pursuance of orders from General Lewis on an expedition against the Indians to Big Island on the waters of Holstein (?) River; that the skirmish took place several days before he arrived and that he remained at Big Island one day and was then discharged by Colonel Shelby, and that his service as a Lieutenant was not less than fifteen days, and that the dates thereof were unknown.

He further stated that about April 1780 at Whitley's Station, Kentucky, he was drafted as a private in the Militia Company under Captain Bowles which company was attached to the Regiment under Colonel B. Logan which served under the command of General Clark, and that he served for approximately six months in this compaign.

He also stated that in the fall of 1782 at the same place (Whitley's Stattion, Kentucky), he was again drafted as a private and that he served in the same company and under the same officers during the campaign which followed of approximately six months' duration.

In the first campaign he marched with his company to an Indian Town called Pickawa (Pickaway) and was in the battle with the Indians which was fought at that place. In the second campaign he marched with his company to an Indian Town on the Big Miami - name unknown - and after a skirmish with the Indians he was ordered by Colonel Logan to Astor's Station and placed there on guard with nineteen others.

The service as Lieutenant was not recognized, but the other service was allowed and he was given credit for 1 year and 5 days, and pension in the amount of $41.66 was granted on 1 August, 1833 to commence 4 March, 1931. The pensioncertificate (19-154 Indiana Roll) was sent to Honorable L. Carr, Charlestown, Indiana.

It appears that shortly after receipt of payment of pension on 4 March, 1838, the pension certificate was lost and 27 December, 1838, an application was made in Jefferson County for the issuance of a new certificate. The statement of Thomas Arbuckle in this connection was witnessed by Frances L. Arbuckle, and the affidavit as to the identity of Thomas Arbuckle was signed by John Arbuckle. The staement of Thomas Arbuckle contained the following data regarding service:

* Frances, dau of Thomas Arbuckle, married - 1st in Franklin Co Ky 15 Jan. 1805 Samuel Lawrence 2nd in Jefferson Co Ind 18 May, 1815, Capt James Arbuckle

* John Arbuckle was son of Thomas Arbuckle

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Thomas Arbuckle BTG Nov. 27. 1931 m. Jane Davis Dec. 25, 1809 Greenbrier Co Va.
She dau of John and Jane (Clendennin) John Davis of Augusta and Jane dau of
Archibald and ——— (Ewing) Archibald killed by Indians in his fort in Greenbrier.
Thomas Arbuckle son of Capt. Matthew and Frances (Hunter) Lawrence Arbuckle.
" had 3 bro. Thomas William + John. Thomas settled in Ky. 1779- d
Washington Co Ind ca 1811 + d 1851 a 109 y. William settled in Mercer
C Va. 1797 + d Mar 21, 1936 a 84- John fr Greenbrier Co 1785- b ca 1793 for
in militia in Augusta Co 1759

1SG(JCJ) James Arbuckle had son James in Mercer Co Pa. Ethan Jacob b 1829
m Eliza Dickey + lived in Mercer Co. Pa.
Nathan Arbuckle m Feb 15, 1812 Catherine Jennings in Jefferson Co Ind
Thomas " m Mar 9, 1813 Jane Montgomery, Clark Co. Ind.
James " m 1844 Elizabeth Amos.

Wm J. D. Buck David Jones Arbuckle
tradition James b (Va mil. Rev War) bur Platbottom graveyard 1½ mi NE of Madison
tradition

Thomas had dau Jane who m. Zachary Smedley and had A. Newt.
Zachary son of John Quaker minister fr Va. to Washington Co, Ind.
Thomas Arbuckle fr Va to Washington Co. — A. Newt Smedley
m. Addie Sickels of Jackson Co.

JCJ(1SG) James Arbuckle of Franklin Co Ky m Nelson Co Ky. 1789 Susanna
Bland - in Clark Co Ind 1820+ Washington Co 1930 - 1840.
James b Ind fr Ky + Capt Alexander Harrison commn dated Feb 9, 1811.
JCJ James d 1820 left widow Frances who was wid of John Lawrence and
later m. Philip Rodenbough. she d 1838 - James left minors
Frances 13 - John 11 - William McFarland 8 - Samuel Alexander, Susan-
nah + George W. John guardian of last mentioned 5 in 1829.
Deed to lot 63 in Salem names as heirs + legal representatives:
John Crosson + wf Louisa of Scott Co — Wm Close + wf Mahala of Scott
and Peter Smucker wf Sally — Wm Dilda of Betsey — Hezekiah Mitchell +
wf Lucretia of Jefferson Co.

John + wf Sally
Matthew + wf Cats
James Jackson + wf Rachel
Harvey Field + wf
Clarissa + dau of James + Sarah

4. The said John Arbuckle was the son of Thomas Abbuckle born 1747 died 1851 and his wife, Betty Thompson, married 1785.

Betty Lawrence not Thompson, unless a widow Thompson. See Will of James Lawrence, Ky.

And he, the said Thomas Arbuckle, is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity - pensioned as private.

Ancestor's Services:

My ancestor, Thomas Arbuckle, was born in Botetourt County, Va., May 2, 1747, and lived to be 104 years of age. At the advanced age of 86 years, he applied for pension, which was granted April 5, 1833. Thomas Arbuckle served under Colonel Shelby and Colonel Benjamin Logan and was engaged in battles with the Indians at Pickaway and on the Big Miami.

wife died 1843, aged 96

References: Department of Interior, Bureau of Pensions, Washington, D. C., Indian Pension Rolls p. 75.
Census of Pensioners 1840 p.182.

The last known address of Mrs. Robison was: 1611 West Forty-eight Street, Los Angeles, California - 1918.

## THOMAS ARBUCKLE

Ann Rogers Clark Chapter of Jeffersonville, Indiana, prevented by its efforts an old cemetery from becoming a City rockpile. The place has been fenced, trees planted, a flag pole has been erected, and a memorial service for the soldiers and early settlers buried there was held on June 1. The Chapter has contributed to State scholarship for mountain whites and has held a lecture on "Evolution of the Flag" which was largely attended.

The following soldiers' graves have been located:

Thomas Arbuckle, enlisted in Virginia, buried in Clark, Co., Indiana.
John Brenton
William Goodwin
Isaac Holman
James McClelland
Jacob Mikesell
Jerry Olmstead
Gabriel Poindexter
Robert True
Barzilla Willey
(See "63rd Congress, 1st Session, 1913. Senate Documents, Vol 1. D. A. R. 15th Report, Apr.7 - Dec. 1, 1913, Page 84."

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should be grandson

Thomas Arbuckle. Enlisted on Botetourt Co., Va., served six months under Capt. John Bowles and Col. Benjamin Logan 1780; was engaged in battles with Indians at Pickaway and on the Big Miami. His claim for pension was allowed April 5, 1833, residence at date of application, Washington County, Indiana. He served a previous enlistment of 15 days as Lieutenant under Captain Givens and Col. Shelby - all Virginia officers. Buried in a very old country graveyard 2 miles northwest of New Washington, Clark County, Indiana. At his grave is a stone bearing the name of his son, James Arbuckle, who died with the cholera in 1833.

(See "64th Congress, 1st Session, 1915-1916, Senate Documents, Vol.14 D. A. R. 18th Report, Oct. 1914 - Oct. 1915, page 158."

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should be Botetourt Co.

Near New Washington, in a country graveyard is Thomas Arbuckle. He was from Rockbridge Co., Virginia. Emigrated to Kentucky and later to Indiana. See "Indiana Quarterly Magazine of History, March, 1907, Vol. 3, No. 1. 'Revolutionary Graves' " by Mrs. Elinor Campbell of Jeffersonville.

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Samuel Arbuckle (3rd Mass. Reg't) Certificate 60986, - $7.59
(See "63rd Congress, 3rd Session, Senate Documents, Vol. 9, D. A. R. 17th Report 1914-1915, page 166.)

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Served in the company commanded by Captain George Gibbons of the regiment commanded by Colonel Andrew Lewis as Lieutenant of said company. Also served in the company commanded by Captain John Boles, regiment commanded by Colonel Benjamin Logan, and in another company commanded by Captain John Boles, regiment commanded by Colonel John Logan.

Duplicate certificate was issued on 12 January, 1839 and sent to J.F.D. Lanier, Madison, Indiana. Information was obtained from the General Accounting Office, Records Division, Washington, D. C., that the last payment made on this pension (Certificate 19.154 Indiana Roll) was the semi-annual payment of $20.83 due on 4 September, 1843. On 6 September 1843 Thomas Arbuckle appointed John Arbuckle as his attorney to receive such pension and on 7 September, 1843, receipt thereof was acknowledged by John Arbuckle at Madison, Indiana. On 6 September, 1843 Thomas Arbuckle made the statement that he came from Kentucky to Indiana and that he had been in the latter state twenty-eight years. The next semi-annual payment would have been due on 4 March, 1844.

note dates 1843-44 are probably those of his death

According to data filed with this pension record in the Bureau of Pensions Congressman W.W.Wicks in 1849 requested that copies of the pension papers of Thomas Woods and John Redd of Virginia, Jacob White of Kentucky, and Thomas Arbuckle of Indiana, be sent to Lyman C. Draper of Philadelphia, Pa., who required them in connection with completion of a history of the Indian War and Frontier Disturbances.

Besides J.C.Jefferds of Charleston, W.Va., the following persons have requested data regarding the Revolutionary Service of Thomas Arbuckle:

Mrs. Mayme Robison, 745 Franklin Street, Columbus, Indiana, on 23 July, 1909.
Mr. Frank L. Lamb, 437 East 42nd Street, Chicago, Ill, on 23 September, 1912.

Mrs. Robison used the date so secured to join the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution and the abstract of her application is quoted below:

DAR National Number 88033 approved 16 September, 1911, Mrs. Mayme Robison, Sydney, Ohio.

Probably died 1843-44

Descendant of Thomas Arbuckle of Virginia who was born in Botetourt County on 2 May, 1747, and died at Washington County, Indiana in 1851 (lived to be 104 years of age.)

I was born on March 4, 1875 in the County of Bartholomew, State of Indiana (Columbus, Indiana.)

1. I am the daughter of James W. Perkins born 21 January, 1836 (living) and his wife, Mary F. Horner, born 1842 (living) married 1859.

2. The said Mary F. Horner was the daughter of Andrew Horner, born 1819, died 1901, and his wife, Margaret Arbuckle, born 1821(living) married 1841.

dates wrong

3. The said Margaret Arbuckle was the daughter of John Arbuckle, born 1787, died _____, and his wife, Susannah Smith, born 1797, died _____, married 1820.

LIST OF PERSONS OF THE NAME OF ARBUCKLE, ARBUCKEL, ARBUNKLE, ARBUNKEL, APPEARING IN CENSUS OF 1830 FOR WASHINGTON COUNTY, INDIANA

FREE WHITES INCLUDING HEADS OF FAMILIES

PAGE 642:

JOHN ARBUCKLE
1 Male under 10 (5-10)
1 Male under 50 (40-50)
+X 1 Male under 90 (80-90) **
1 Female under 5.
1 Female under 10 (5-10)
1 Female under 15 (10-15)
2 Females under 20 (15-20)
1 Female under 50 (40-50)
9 Total in family

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JAMES ARBUCKLE
1 Male under 5
1 Male under 10 (5-10)
1 Male under 70 (60-70)
1 Female under 30 (20-30)
1 Female under 70 (60-70)
5 Total in family

Thomas Arbuckle
1 male under 5
2 " 10-15
1 " 30-40
1 female under 5
2 " 5-10
1 " 20-30

LIST OF PERSONS OF THE NAME OF ARBUCKLE, ARBUCKEL, ARBUNKLE, ARBUNKEL, APPEARING IN CENSUS OF 1830 FOR JEFFERSON COUNTY INDIANA.

PAGE 12 (186) "Exclusive of Lancaster Township"

NATHAN ARBUCKEL
2 Males under 5
2 Males under 15 (10-15)
1 Male under 40 (30-40)
1 Female under 10 (5-10)
1 Female under 20 (15-20)
1 Female under 40 (30-40)
8 Total in Family

JOHN ARBUCKEL
2 Males under 5
3 Males under 10 (5-10)
1 Male under 20 (15-20)
1 Male under 40 (30-40)
1 Female under 15 (10-15)
1 Female under 30 (20-30)
9 Total in family

NO PERSONS OF THE NAME OF ARBUCKLE, ARBUCKEL, ARBUNKLE, ARBUNKEL, APPEARED IN CENSUS OF SCOTT COUNTY, INDIANA, for THE YEAR 1830.

NO PERSONS OF THE NAME OF ARBUCKLE, ARBUCKEL, ARBUNKLE, ARBUNKEL, APPEARED IN CENSUS OF CLARK COUNTY, INDIANA, FOR THE YEAR 1830.

Susannah Arbuckle was b. 1815, daughter of Frances Arbuckle and Capt James Arbuckle of Jennings Co. IN.
She married Cyrus James 1835 in Jennings Co and moved to Vigo Co. about 1837, when Cyrus took land in Fayette Township, Vigo. Co. Cyrus died 1848.
Susan is buried in Ingraham Cemetery, Clay Co. IL